

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is a Very Clear and Present Dangers of Media Consolidation. We as American's should never be forced to listen to bias coming from any part of our society. Sinclair Broadcasting will have a captive audience this in itself is very wrong. every American has the ability to think for him/herself and should never be forced to give up their own values and I feel that this is what Sinclair Broadcasting along with the swift boat vets and p.o.w vets are doing to the American public. This isn't in the interest of the public its a one sided affair and I am in total disagreement with Sinclair . Let us keep America's Free thought process and decision making free of progranda . I feel that we have changed places with the old Soviet Union in what we are hearing and watching in our Country . For the sake of Demoracy for the sake of a Free and Open socieety I am calling upon the FCC to stop Sinclair Broadcasting from trying to disrupt the Election in a Free country. Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. But when large companies control the airwaves, we get more of what's good for the bottom line and less of what we need for our democracy. Instead of something produced at "News Central" far away, it's more important that we see real people from our own communities and more substantive news about issues that matter.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you. Patricia Cash